

Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals

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In Re Application of: M. Clark DALE et al.

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Application No.: 10/056,063

Examiner: Herbert Lilling

Filed: January 28, 2002

Group Art Unit: 1651

For: A HIGH SPEED, CONSECUTIVE BATCH OR CONTINUOUS, LOW EFFLUENT

PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ETHANOL FROM MOLASSES, STARCHES OR

SUGARS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision dated August 14, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-3.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. Applicant hereby petitions for any extensions of time for responding to the final rejection necessary to make this Notice of Appeal timely. Costs for same, if any, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 if not covered by an enclosed check.
- 2. X A response to the Final Rejection has been filed on July 28, November 6, 7 and 12, 2003.
- 3. X Appeal Fee Enclosed: ___ \$330.00 Other

X \$165.00 Small Entity

4. X Costs for this Notice of Appeal not fully covered by the enclosed check should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 (One additional copy of this Notice enclosed herewith).

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